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SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS STATEMENT AND FY-77 USAID PROGRAM

REF: A) STATE 207972, B) STATE 210093

1. ACTING AID DRIECTOR INFORMALLY DELIVERED STATEMENT ON HUMAN RIGHTS (REF A) SEPT 7 TO SENIOR OFFICIAL OF RELIEF COMMISSION. THERE WAS NO OPPORTUNITY TO DO SO EITHER BEFORE OR AFTER SIGNING CEREMONY AUG 31, SINCE GEMU GOFA PROJECT WAS SIGNED BY CHARGE AND LOCAL PRESS WAS PRESENT. ACTING DIRECTOR THEN ATTEMPTED MEET SEVERAL TIMES WITH RELIEF COMMISSIONER SHIMELIS BEGINNING FOLLOWING DAY, BUT WAS UNSUCCESSFUL. COMMISSIONER THEN SUDDENLY LEFT ADDIS.

2. STATEMENT WAS RECEIVED WITHOUT COMMENT BY SENIOR RELIEF COMMISSION OFFICIAL. RELIEF COMMISSIONER, HOWEVER, WHO WE NOW DISCOVER IS PRESENTLY ON REFUGEE FACT-FINDING TRIP TO OGADEN, MAY HAVE SOME RESPONSE AFTER HE RETURNS AND HAS HAD TIME TO THINK ABOUT MATTER AND PERHAPS CONVEY OUR COMMENTS TO EPMG OFFICIALS AT HIGHER LEVEL IF HIS SUBORDINATE HAS NOT ALREADY DONE SO. CHARGE WILL MAKE SAME POINTS AT MOFA AT APPROPRIATE TIME AS INSTRUCTED REFTTEL (A).
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